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SASKATCHEWAN POPULATION

	January 1	April 1	July 1	October 1
		('000)		
1981	970.8	972.7	975.9	979.7
1982	981.9	984.2	987.3	992.3
1983	994.5	997.9	1,001.9	1,005.9
1984	1,008.3	1,011.7	1,015.5	1,019.7
1985	1,021.0	1,022.9	1,025.5	1,027.7
1986	1,027.3	1,027.9	1,029.3	1,029.9
1987	1,030.0	1,031.6	1,032.8	1,032.0
1988	1,029.6	1,028.6	1,028.1	1,025.3
1989	1,021.4	1,020.2	1,019.3	1,015.6
1990	1,010.8	1,009.1	1,007.1	1,003.8
1991	1,002.3	1,002.8	1,002.7	1,001.0
1992	1,001.2	1,002.8	1,004.0	1,003.0
1993	1,003.5	1,005.1	1,006.9	1,007.1
1994	1,007.7	1,008.6	1,009.7	1,010.9
1995	1,011.9	1,012.8	1,014.2	1,015.4
1996	1,016.3	1,017.9	1,019.5	1,020.8
1997	1,020.6	1,020.9	1,022.0	1,022.4
1998	1,023.3	1,023.8	1,024.9	1,026.2
1999	1,026.2	1,025.8	1,025.6	1,024.5
2000	1,023.9	1,022.7	1,022.0	1,021.2
2001	1,019.5	1,018.3	1,017.1	1,015.6
2002	1,014.4	1,012.7	1,011.8	

VITAL STATISTICS

	2nd Quarter			January - June		
	2002p	2001	Change (%)	2002p	2001	Change (%)
Births	3,084	3,120	-1.2	6,162	6,235	-1.2
Deaths	2,246	2,194	2.4	4,794	4,689	2.2
Natural Increase	838	926	-9.5	1,368	1,546	-11.5
Marriages	1,444	1,454	-0.7	1,957	1,971	-0.7

IMMIGRATION NEW CANADIANS

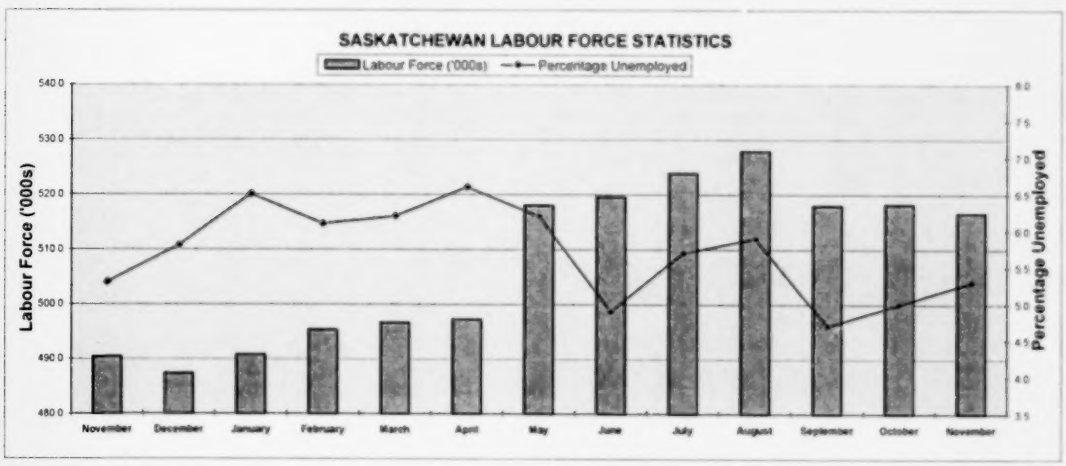
	2002	2001	Change (%)
First Quarter	452	394	14.7
Second Quarter	444	391	13.6

	2001	2000	Change (%)
First Quarter	394	391	0.8
Second Quarter	391	442	-11.5
Third Quarter	557	549	1.5
Fourth Quarter	361	508	-28.9
Annual Total	1,703	1,890	-9.9

LABOUR FORCE AND RELATED DATA

		Total	Labour Force Employed (' 000)	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate	Participation Rate (%)
	Saskatchewan					
2000	November	504.0	481.1	22.9	4.5	66.0
	December	498.5	474.1	24.5	4.9	65.3
	January	500.8	470.0	30.9	6.2	65.6
	February	494.3	463.9	30.4	6.2	64.8
	March	497.0	466.8	30.2	6.1	65.2
2001	April	498.2	465.4	32.8	6.6	65.3
	May	507.3	475.0	32.3	6.4	66.6
	June	508.6	481.5	27.1	5.3	66.8
	July	519.4	487.1	32.3	6.2	68.2
	August	520.4	490.5	29.9	5.7	68.4
	September	499.6	474.2	25.4	5.1	65.7
	October	494.9	469.9	25.0	5.1	65.1
	November	490.4	464.6	25.8	5.3	64.5
	December	487.4	459.2	28.2	5.8	64.1
	January	490.8	458.7	32.1	6.5	64.5
	February	495.3	464.9	30.4	6.1	65.1
	March	496.6	465.7	30.9	6.2	65.3
2002	April	497.2	464.3	32.9	6.6	65.4
	May	518.0	486.1	31.9	6.2	68.2
	June	519.6	494.3	25.3	4.9	68.4
	July	523.9	494.2	29.7	5.7	69.0
	August	527.9	496.8	31.1	5.9	69.6
	September	518.0	493.7	24.3	4.7	68.3
	October	518.2	492.2	26.0	5.0	68.3
	November	516.6	489.0	27.6	5.3	68.2

Note: Revised figures based on the 1996 Census.



BY ACTUAL HOURS WORKED

	November 2002			November 2001		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Saskatchewan						
Total (' 000)	489.0	261.3	227.7	464.6	253.2	211.5
1-14 hours	50.8	19.0	31.8	36.7	13.2	23.5
15-29 hours	100.9	35.3	65.6	68.2	22.7	45.5
30 plus hours	308.0	195.7	112.4	334.5	207.0	127.4
Not at work	29.2	11.4	17.8	25.2	10.2	15.0

LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS BY AGE AND SEX

Saskatchewan	Total	Male	Female	15-24	25+	15-19	20-24	25-44	45+	65+
Labour Force (' 000)										
November 2002	516.6	279.1	237.5	94.1	422.5	41.7	52.4	232.6	189.9	14.7
October 2002	518.2	280.8	237.4	93.5	424.7	40.9	52.7	234.6	190.1	15.6
November 2001	490.4	269.7	220.7	86.6	403.8	36.8	49.8	231.3	172.5	13.1
Employed (' 000)										
November 2002	489.0	261.3	227.7	84.3	404.7	35.4	48.9	221.2	183.5	14.7
October 2002	492.2	265.5	226.8	82.7	409.5	34.5	48.2	225.3	184.2	15.5
November 2001	464.6	253.2	211.5	78.3	386.3	31.4	46.9	220.5	165.8	12.9
Unemployed (' 000)										
November 2002	27.6	17.8	9.8	9.8	17.8	6.3	3.5	11.4	6.4	0.0
October 2002	26.0	15.3	10.7	10.8	15.2	6.4	4.4	9.3	5.9	1.0
November 2001	25.8	16.5	9.2	8.3	17.5	5.3	2.9	10.8	6.7	0.0
Unemployment Rate (%)										
November 2002	5.3	6.4	4.1	10.4	4.2	15.1	6.7	4.9	3.4	0.0
October 2002	5.0	5.4	4.5	11.6	3.6	15.6	8.3	4.0	3.1	1.0
November 2001	5.3	6.1	4.2	9.6	4.3	14.4	5.8	4.7	3.9	0.0
Participation Rate (%)										
November 2002	68.2	74.7	61.8	67.3	68.4	58.2	76.7	88.4	53.5	10.9
October 2002	68.3	75.1	61.8	66.7	68.7	57.0	77.0	89.0	53.6	11.6
November 2001	64.5	71.9	57.3	60.9	65.3	50.6	71.6	86.3	49.3	9.7

Figures set to 0 (zero) if under 500 persons

EMPLOYED LABOUR FORCE BY INDUSTRY

Saskatchewan	2002	November 2001 (' 000)	2000
Agriculture	50.9	47.6	55.0
Manufacturing	27.9	28.3	31.5
Construction	26.8	26.6	24.7
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	28.4	28.5	32.2
Trade	78.6	74.4	74.5
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	27.2	26.7	27.3
Service	207.0	188.2	191.6
Public Administration	26.0	28.4	27.9
Other Primary Industries	16.2	15.9	16.5
Total All Industries	**489.0**	**464.6**	**481.1**

Note: Pertains to the week ending November 16, 2002

EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Saskatchewan September 2002p	Regular	Sickness	Maternity	Parental	Training	Other	Sep/02p	Aug/02p	Sep/01r
Total									
Beneficiaries	7,190	920	1,590	3,310	770	230	14,010	18,650	12,290
Male	4,250	350	-	190	530	140	5,460	6,250	4,870
Female	2,950	570	1,590	3,120	250	70	8,550	12,400	7,430
Benefits paid during month ($ ' 000)	11,744	1,216	2,212	4,719	-	181	20,072	20,737	16,007
Number of weeks paid during month	42,680	4,910	8,090	16,860	-	630	73,170	77,180	60,710
Average weekly payments during month * ($)	275.17	247.59	273.41	279.94	-	-	274.32	268.70	263.64

* May exceed maximum weekly benefit due to the inclusion of retroactive payments.

SASKATCHEWAN EMPLOYMENT EARNINGS AND HOURS

	All Employees				Salaried Employees			
	Number of Employees ('000)		Avg. Weekly Earnings* ($)		Avg. Standard Work Week** (hours)		Avg. Hourly Earnings* ($)	
	Sep 2002p	Aug 2002r	Sep 2002p	Aug 2002r	Sep 2002p	Aug 2002r	Sep 2002p	Aug 2002r
Goods producing industries	63.4	64.8	840.35	832.98	39.0	38.7	26.91	27.04
Forestry	1.4	1.4	736.43	730.64	39.3	39.1	21.62	21.57
Mining and oil and gas extraction	10.1	10.3	1099.15	1099.67	40.0	40.0	31.43	31.46
Construction	20.0	20.4	754.13	730.65	37.8	36.6	20.65	21.27
Engineering construction	4.7	4.7	875.10	839.17	38.0	37.9	24.02	23.65
Manufacturing	27.6	28.3	775.76	776.70	38.6	38.6	26.59	26.54
Non-durable goods	13.6	13.7	728.83	731.71	38.3	38.3	26.66	26.65
Food	7.5	7.4	660.17	659.30	37.5	37.5	24.83	24.83
Printing & related support activities	1.3	1.3	708.80	716.49	38.3	38.1	21.39	21.54
Durable goods	14.0	14.6	821.19	819.19	38.9	38.9	26.53	26.43
Machinery	4.5	4.7	870.11	867.06	38.4	38.4	27.72	27.64
Agriculture, construction and mining machinery	3.0	3.0	867.93	864.51	38.4	38.4	27.83	27.77
Service producing industries	317.1	307.8	567.48	558.96	38.1	37.9	20.54	20.51
Trade	68.4	68.7	486.84	485.39	39.3	39.2	20.12	20.10
Wholesale trade	17.7	18.0	713.29	704.83	39.6	39.6	21.86	21.71
Retail trade	50.7	50.7	407.76	407.36	38.9	38.8	18.40	18.44
Automobile dealers	4.6	4.4	822.41	824.14	38.9	38.7	23.67	23.84
Gasoline service stations	4.7	4.7	277.53	278.93	34.6	34.4	14.39	14.49
Transportation & warehousing	20.7	20.4	751.17	753.20	41.1	40.9	20.41	20.61
Finance and insurance	18.1	18.3	766.69	752.67	36.9	36.8	23.79	23.14
Real estate, rental & leasing	7.3	7.7	614.73	611.65	37.6	37.9	20.57	19.90
Administrative, support, waste management & remediation service	9.7	9.9	404.63	401.12	37.2	37.2	15.99	15.88
Educational services	34.1	20.9	736.55	741.33	40.1	40.3	19.74	19.93
Elementary & secondary schools	22.9	10.4	775.48	798.69	43.0	44.4	22.86	24.09
Health care & social assistance	48.3	50.4	541.41	550.80	34.9	35.1	18.35	18.39
General medical & surgical hospitals	11.4	13.9	617.55	625.83	35.1	34.5	22.05	22.67
Nursing & residential care facilities	14.6	14.6	490.41	493.86	31.9	30.0	18.53	19.55
Accommodation & food services	33.9	33.9	257.98	258.81	40.8	41.1	12.93	12.90
Food services & drinking places	25.4	25.4	249.59	250.20	42.8	43.2	12.44	12.35
Public Administration	28.0	28.4	719.26	710.48	36.0	36.0	22.61	22.25
Industrial Aggregate	380.6	372.6	612.97	606.63	38.2	38.0	21.28	21.36

* including overtime
** excluding overtime

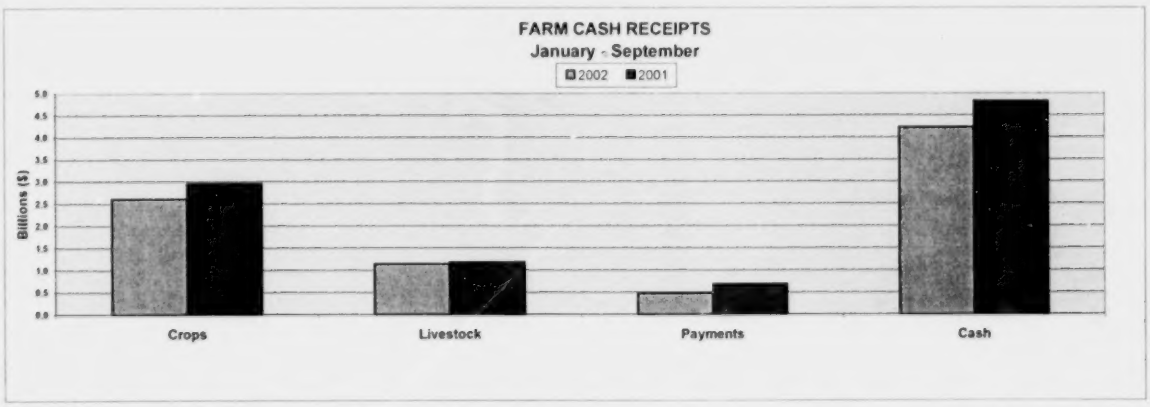
Industrial Aggregate = sum of all industries - with the exception of agriculture, fishing and trapping, private household services, religious organizations and military services.

Note: Data based on the 1997 NAICS.

SASKATCHEWAN FARM CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARMING OPERATIONS

	January - September		
	2002	2001	Change
	($ ' 000)		(%)
Wheat, excluding durum	508,796	644,140	-21.0
Wheat, excluding durum - CWB payments/1	151,832	204,750	-25.8
Durum	330,373	307,963	7.3
Durum - CWB payments/1	79,964	147,345	-45.7
Oats	56,880	71,955	-21.0
Oats, CWB payments/1	-	-	-
Barley	166,231	231,035	-28.0
Barley, CWB payments/1	15,270	44,920	-66.0
Deferred grain receipts	-155,483	-209,614	-25.8
Liquidation of deferred grain receipts	431,431	309,942	39.2
Rye	1,945	2,838	-31.5
Flaxseed	84,920	69,147	22.8
Canola - Rapeseed	497,835	628,828	-20.8
Potatoes	34,900	29,024	20.2
Floriculture and nursery	19,717	17,921	10.0
Forest products	2,529	2,508	0.8
Other crops	380,811	455,394	-16.4
Total crops	2,607,951	2,958,096	-11.8
Cattle	622,770	610,463	2.0
Calves	124,775	155,765	-19.9
Hogs	174,122	199,962	-12.9
Sheep and lambs	6022	6,056	-0.6
Dairy Products	89,026	85,433	4.2
Poultry	41,965	40,008	4.9
Eggs	17,869	15,935	12.1
Other livestock	60,888	59,175	2.9
Total livestock and products	1,137,437	1,172,797	-3.0
NISA Payments	130,830	127,685	2.5
Crop and hail insurance payments/2	267,710	158,020	69.4
Income Disaster Assistance	71,305	185,866	-61.6
Dairy Subsidy	174	695	-75.0
Other payments	5,015	206,271	-97.6
Total direct payments	475,034	678,537	-30.0
Total cash receipts	4,220,422	4,809,430	-12.2

1. Represents payments made by the Canadian Wheat Board direct to producers.
2. Crop insurance payments include payments under the Crop Insurance Act as well as private hail insurance plans.



SASKATCHEWAN LIVESTOCK MARKETINGS

	September			January - September		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Feeder Cattle Exports						
Steers	48,920	53,840	-9.1	305,530	270,680	12.9
Heifers	36,470	42,570	-14.3	247,850	213,230	16.2
Cows	160	700	-77.1	3,740	4,510	-17.1
Bulls	160	170	-5.9	1,370	1,540	-11.0
Total Feeder Cattle Exports	85,710	97,280	-11.9	558,490	489,960	14.0
Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	13,890	18,480	-24.8	77,540	82,530	-6.0
Heifers	8,800	11,290	-22.1	80,540	84,850	-5.1
Cows	710	1,320	-46.2	10,800	7,910	36.5
Bulls	280	330	-15.2	2,450	1,940	26.3
Total Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan	23,680	31,420	-24.6	171,330	177,230	-3.3
Total Feeder Cattle Marketed	109,390	128,700	-15.0	729,820	667,190	9.4
Slaughter Cattle Exports						
Steers	6,670	6,240	6.9	44,060	48,450	-9.1
Heifers	2,360	2,170	8.8	20,130	18,420	9.3
Cows	5,550	8,020	-30.8	56,050	43,490	28.9
Bulls	1,950	2,600	-25.0	16,610	16,230	2.3
Calves	-	30	---	370	430	-14.0
Total Slaughter Cattle Exports	16,530	19,060	-13.3	137,220	127,020	8.0
Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	3,420	4,350	-21.4	38,740	42,790	-9.5
Heifers	2,950	2,090	41.1	19,520	16,650	17.2
Cows	4,680	4,860	-3.7	61,710	56,590	9.0
Bulls	470	270	74.1	4,610	3,060	50.7
Calves	-	-	---	20	50	-60.0
Total Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan	11,520	11,570	-0.4	124,600	119,140	4.6
Total Slaughter Cattle Marketed	28,050	30,630	-8.4	261,820	246,160	6.4
Total Cattle Marketed	137,440	159,330	-13.7	991,640	913,350	8.6
Sheep and lambs	1,875	2,264	-17.2	10,253	7,144	43.5
Hogs Saskatchewan Origin of Slaughter	133,400	119,032	12.1	1,048,987	867,678	20.9

SASKATCHEWAN AVERAGE PRICE OF SLAUGHTER AND FEEDER CATTLE

	September		
	2002	2001	Change (%)
	$ / 100 lbs		
Slaughter Cattle			
A Steers, Liveweight	91.97	95.31	-3.5
A Heifers, Liveweight	93.28	96.50	-3.3
Cows D1, 2	51.21	59.28	-13.6
Feeder Cattle			
Steers 700-800 lbs	115.75	142.47	-18.8
Steers 600-700 lbs	119.05	149.76	-20.5
Steers 500-600 lbs	125.61	159.95	-21.5

SASKATCHEWAN FARMERS' MARKETING OF GRAIN AT PRIMARY ELEVATORS

	Wheat	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Peas	Flax seed	Canola	Total
	(' 000) of tonnes							
Period October 28, 2002 to Nov 24, 2002	310.3	290.9	34.1	120.4	16.1	66.5	117.9	956.2
Same period last year	687.7	191.4	90.4	185.2	..	43.4	137.4	1,335.5
Crop year to date	1,101.2	803.4	140.3	500.8	85.9	173.9	586.9	3,392.4
Same period last year	2,580.6	577.7	390.0	735.3	..	159.3	617.0	5,059.9

EGG PRODUCTION AND DISPOSITION

	October			January - October		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Production						
Average number of layers ('000)	1,039	1,034	0.5	10,552	10,130	4.2
Eggs per 100 layers	2,231	2,195	1.6			
Egg production ('000 dozen)	1,932	1,892	2.1	19,107	18,452	3.5
Disposition						
Sold for consumption						
Quantity ('000 dozen)	1,736	1,671	3.9	17,057	16,357	4.3
Value ($'000)	1,998	1,779	12.3	19,481	17,467	11.5
Farm price (cent per dozen)	115.1	106.5	8.1	114.2	106.8	7.0
Used by producers						
Quantity ('000 dozen)	37	37	-	370	370	-
Value ($'000)	55	51	7.8	547	472	15.9

BANKRUPTCY BY INDUSTRY

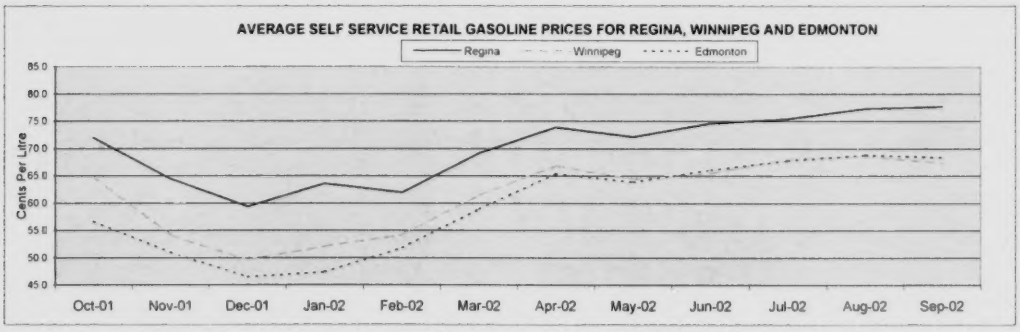
	September			January - September		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Agriculture and related service	5	3	66.7	45	59	-23.7
Logging and forestry	-	-	---	2	1	---
Mining, quarrying and oil wells	-	1	---	4	1	---
Manufacturing	2	-	---	18	16	12.5
Construction	-	6	---	33	57	-42.1
Transportation and storage	5	3	66.7	30	47	-36.2
Communication & other utilities	-	-	---	6	3	---
Wholesale trade	-	-	---	4	4	-
Retail trade	7	1	---	47	55	-14.5
Finance and insurance	-	-	---	-	-	---
Real estate operators and insurance agents	-	-	---	-	2	---
Business service	1	-	---	9	4	---
Health and social service	1	-	---	3	10	-70.0
Accommodation food and beverage	3	2	50.0	34	37	-8.1
Other service	3	3	-	32	31	3.2
Total Industries	27	19	42.1	267	327	-18.3
Bankruptcy by consumer	157	162	-3.1	1,553	1,503	3.3
Canada						
Bankruptcy by industry	717	659	8.8	7,306	7,662	-4.6
Bankruptcy by consumer	6,630	6,261	5.9	58,876	59,024	-0.3

RETAIL SALES BY TRADE GROUP

	September			January - September		
	2002p	2001r	Change	2002p	2001r	Change
	$ Millions		(%)	$ Millions		(%)
Saskatchewan						
Supermarkets and grocery stores	172.4	168.9	2.1	1,583.7	1,500.0	5.6
All other food stores	5.4	5.9	-8.4	50.7	44.5	13.8
Drugs and patent medicine stores	31.8	31.7	0.2	301.0	283.2	6.3
Shoe stores	2.3	2.3	-1.8	19.5	18.5	5.4
Men's clothing stores	2.0	2.0	-1.3	19.5	19.9	-2.2
Women's clothing stores	9.3	7.7	19.8	79.7	67.9	17.4
Other clothing stores	14.8	14.7	0.7	123.5	120.1	2.8
Household furniture & appliances	25.7	23.9	7.9	207.1	188.0	10.1
Household furnishings stores	6.1	5.1	20.6	48.9	49.0	-0.3
Recreational & motor vehicle dealers	193.5	174.6	10.8	1,826.8	1,596.4	14.4
Gasoline service stations	65.0	62.9	3.4	561.7	550.2	2.1
Auto. parts, accessories & services	44.0	41.5	6.0	395.5	373.2	6.0
General merchandise stores	88.7	86.1	3.1	804.1	766.1	5.0
Other semi-durable goods stores	15.4	13.8	11.6	144.7	137.7	5.1
Other durable goods stores	15.7	14.9	5.3	133.8	133.3	0.4
Other retail stores	25.1	24.4	3.0	230.5	227.8	1.2
Total all stores	717.3	680.4	5.4	6,530.8	6,075.8	7.5
Canada						
Total retail trade	24,934.0	23,355.0	6.8	223,905.3	210,778.0	6.2

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICE OF REGULAR UNLEADED GASOLINE

	Full Service Stations			Self-Serve Stations		
	October 2002	September 2002	October 2001	October 2002	September 2002	October 2001
	cents per litre					
St. John's	84.4	83.6	78.7	81.4	80.6	76.4
Charlottetown - Summerside	75.3	74.2	72.1	73.9	72.5	70.8
Sydney	82.9	80.9	75.2	80.4	78.2	73.2
Halifax	81.2	80.2	70.7	78.9	77.9	68.0
Moncton	82.3	80.0	68.4	79.2	76.9	66.4
Chicoutimi	75.0	74.8	70.7	74.4	74.4	70.5
Quebec City	77.6	76.9	72.9	77.1	76.3	72.3
Trois Rivieres	78.9	76.9	73.5	78.4	75.8	72.4
Montreal	79.5	76.1	72.9	77.5	73.8	69.4
Ottawa	73.9	72.1	63.7	71.7	70.0	61.3
Toronto	73.3	71.5	66.2	71.2	70.7	64.2
London	73.8	71.2	66.5	74.3	70.7	65.2
Windsor	75.2	73.3	71.0	71.9	70.8	68.2
Sudbury	76.2	74.3	66.3	74.3	72.6	63.4
Thunder Bay	77.2	76.4	71.6	75.5	74.2	68.3
Winnipeg	63.2	68.3	66.6	62.6	67.5	64.9
Regina	78.2	78.2	71.6	77.1	77.7	71.9
Saskatoon	79.2	79.2	71.4	78.9	78.9	71.0
Edmonton	70.2	70.3	58.8	67.5	68.4	56.7
Calgary	69.7	72.0	64.2	68.7	70.2	64.2
Prince George	76.4	76.4	74.4	75.9	75.9	74.6
Vancouver	79.6	78.6	73.0	76.9	75.3	71.3
Victoria	78.8	78.9	78.0	77.5	77.7	77.1



NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES

	September			January - September		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
	Number					
Passenger Cars:						
Manufactured in North America	1,259	1,076	17.0	10,371	9,446	9.8
Manufactured in Japan	136	145	-6.2	1,265	1,025	23.4
Manufactured in other countries	172	143	20.3	1,279	1,216	5.2
Commercial Vehicles:						
Manufactured in North America	1,847	1,835	0.7	16,895	15,496	9.0
Manufactured Overseas	155	116	33.6	1,253	875	43.2
Total	3,569	3,315	7.7	31,063	28,058	10.7

HOUSING STATISTICS

	3rd Quarter			January - September		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Dwelling starts	989	752	31.5	2,134	1,630	30.9
Dwelling completions	804	593	35.6	1,861	1,657	12.3
Dwellings under construction, end of period	1,474	1,080	36.5			
Dwelling Starts						
Saskatchewan/1	811	524	54.8	1,721	1,203	43.1
Estevan	5	2	—	8	2	—
Lloydminster/2	13	1	—	24	7	—
Moose Jaw	7	10	-30.0	17	24	-29.2
North Battleford	1	8	-87.5	6	16	-62.5
Prince Albert	37	40	-7.5	67	81	-17.3
Regina Metro	191	125	52.8	479	339	41.3
Saskatoon Metro	537	325	65.2	1,076	689	56.2
Swift Current	5	4	25.0	10	12	-16.7
Yorkton	15	9	66.7	34	33	3.0
Dwelling Completions						
Saskatchewan/1	639	399	60.2	1,428	1,263	13.1
Estevan	3	0	—	7	3	—
Lloydminster/2	8	1	—	16	8	100.0
Moose Jaw	7	12	-41.7	15	32	-53.1
North Battleford	4	1	—	10	23	-56.5
Prince Albert	28	23	21.7	58	80	-27.5
Regina Metro	194	101	92.1	469	377	24.4
Saskatoon Metro	367	250	46.8	751	678	10.8
Swift Current	7	7	-	14	19	-26.3
Yorkton	21	4	—	88	43	—
Dwellings under Construction						
Saskatchewan/1	1,160	776	49.5			
Estevan	4	2	100.0			
Lloydminster/2	13	6	—			
Moose Jaw	8	14	-42.9			
North Battleford	2	14	-85.7			
Prince Albert	40	62	-35.5			
Regina Metro	341	192	77.6			
Saskatoon Metro	729	445	63.8			
Swift Current	4	12	-66.7			
Yorkton	19	29	-34.5			

	October			January - October		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Dwelling Starts						
Regina Metro	82	140	-41.4	561	479	17.1
Saskatoon Metro	132	111	18.9	1,208	800	51.0
Dwelling Completions						
Regina Metro	39	49	-20.4	508	426	19.2
Saskatoon Metro	79	98	-19.4	830	776	7.0
Dwellings under Construction						
Regina Metro	384	283	35.7			
Saskatoon Metro	781	458	70.5			

1 Centres of 10,000 population and over

VALUE OF BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION

	Residential	Industrial	Commercial	Institutional & Government	Total
			($ '000)		
October, 2002					
Saskatchewan **	28,561	7,442	12,333	8,843	57,179
Estevan	93	-	-	-	93
Weyburn	189	-	-	230	419
Regina	6,759	237	6,648	844	14,488
Moose Jaw	484	5	60	400	949
Swift Current	221	37	-	146	404
Saskatoon	10,842	1,246	2,455	5,886	20,429
Hum:boldt	332	-	-	-	332
Melville	4	-	2	-	6
Yorkton	403	-	30	-	433
Melfort	72	190	3	-	265
North Battleford	209	620	6	200	1,035
Prince Albert	686	-	385	104	1,175
Lloydminster *	1,850	-	20	-	1,870
October, 2001					
Saskatchewan **	16,350	4,286	24,856	24,918	70,410
Estevan	4	-	241	100	345
Weyburn	261	-	290	-	551
Regina	3,761	-	7,428	504	11,693
Moose Jaw	422	14	7,329	238	8,003
Swift Current	173	-	62	-	235
Saskatoon	5,185	1,355	5,385	23,169	35,094
Humboldt	134	-	8	-	142
Melville	6	-	-	-	6
Yorkton	236	-	263	422	921
Melfort	18	-	4	115	137
North Battleford	258	180	1,120	-	1,558
Prince Albert	628	-	40	-	668
Lloydminster *	1,533	195	611	-	2,339
January - October, 2002					
Saskatchewan **	245,565	33,796	171,730	132,974	584,065
Estevan	1,508	133	2,847	10,388	14,876
Weyburn	3,414	-	719	234	4,367
Regina	50,411	2,708	55,306	5,630	114,055
Moose Jaw	4,381	411	7,486	712	12,990
Swift Current	2,164	51	194	420	2,829
Saskatoon	89,184	4,780	60,812	66,858	221,634
Humboldt	2,392	21	750	-	3,163
Melville	377	-	27	2	406
Yorkton	5,248	204	993	9,539	15,984
Melfort	714	190	3,329	14,449	18,682
North Battleford	831	875	7,917	1,939	11,562
Prince Albert	7,661	3,689	9,263	6,855	27,468
Lloydminster *	25,732	1,257	2,834	250	30,073
January - October, 2001					
Saskatchewan **	193,926	64,893	189,650	155,556	604,025
Estevan	636	831	4,184	279	5,930
Weyburn	2,682	247	1,744	2,550	7,223
Regina	39,705	3,815	53,993	56,843	154,356
Moose Jaw	4,632	464	12,813	11,662	29,571
Swift Current	1,741	216	1,335	575	3,867
Saskatoon	59,273	34,495	54,768	50,650	199,186
Humboldt	2,584	97	753	-	3,434
Melville	616	70	306	11,128	12,120
Yorkton	8,298	374	1,644	1,195	11,511
Melfort	756	14	1,310	4,199	6,279
North Battleford	1,888	1,573	4,179	1,188	8,828
Prince Albert	7,054	64	23,847	1,077	32,042
Lloydminster *	21,787	3,407	8,085	3,000	36,279

* includes both Alberta and Saskatchewan parts

** does not include Lloydminster

VALUE OF SHIPMENTS OF GOODS MANUFACTURED

Saskatchewan Industry Group:	September 2002p ($ '000)	September 2001r ($ '000)	Change (%)	January - September 2002p ($ '000)	January - September 2001r ($ '000)	Change (%)
Food	157,607	143,937	9.5	1,332,353	1,312,001	1.6
Beverage	9,764	8,167	19.6	84,797	75,983	11.6
Wood	41,810	32,509	28.6	304,610	225,806	34.9
Printing & Related Support Activites	10,857	9,242	17.5	77,101	80,105	-3.8
Metal fabrication (except machine & transportation equipment industry)	38,672	43,772	-11.7	317,524	328,165	-3.2
Machines	50,032	48,342	3.5	512,636	472,884	8.4
Electrical Equipment	14,082	19,589	-28.1	169,698	323,949	-47.6
Computer and Electronic	7,944	7,907	0.5	70,192	61,579	14.0
Non-metallic mineral products	13,993	13,420	4.3	90,424	92,832	-2.6
Chemical & chemical products	25,478	28,276	-9.9	464,022	521,718	-11.1
N.E.S.	244,814	212,470	15.2	2,059,714	1,994,249	3.3
Total Value/1	615,053	567,631	8.4	5,483,071	5,489,271	-0.1

1 Total includes the value of shipments for the industries for which individual data must be suppressed to comply with the Statistics Act.

EXPORTS ORIGINATING IN SASKATCHEWAN

	September 2002 ($ '000)	September 2001 ($ '000)	Change (%)	January - September 2002 ($ '000)	January - September 2001 ($ '000)	Change (%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	271,400	336,700	-19.4	2,836,200	3,037,400	-6.6
Energy Products	261,400	269,600	-3.0	1,996,700	2,194,300	-9.0
Forestry Products	50,600	48,300	4.8	436,900	416,500	4.9
Industrial Goods	261,500	300,500	-13.0	2,529,800	2,635,400	-4.0
Machinery and Equipment	42,600	42,100	1.2	358,600	364,900	-1.7
Automotive Products	9,400	5,300	77.4	74,500	61,100	21.9
Consumer Goods	3,600	3,000	20.0	27,500	30,700	-10.4
Special Transactions	11,800	11,500	2.6	87,700	94,400	-7.1
Total Exports	912,300	1,017,000	-10.3	8,347,900	8,834,700	-5.5

IMPORTS CLEARED IN SASKATCHEWAN

	September 2002 ($ '000)	September 2001 ($ '000)	Change (%)	January - September 2002 ($ '000)	January - September 2001 ($ '000)	Change (%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	26,000	20,100	29.4	208,700	180,100	15.9
Energy Products	5,200	4,600	13.0	51,800	42,000	23.3
Forestry Products	2,500	2,700	-7.4	24,100	23,800	1.3
Industrial Goods	79,100	106,000	-25.4	940,500	1,192,400	-21.1
Machinery and Equipment	123,500	166,700	-25.9	1,303,300	1,537,000	-15.2
Automotive Products	54,400	47,600	14.3	410,100	555,500	-26.2
Consumer Goods	19,600	22,000	-10.9	175,100	184,400	-5.0
Special Transactions	2,400	2,500	-4.0	30,600	30,600	0.0
Total Imports	312,700	372,200	-16.0	3,144,200	3,745,800	-16.1

RESTAURANT, CATERER, AND TAVERN RECEIPTS

Saskatchewan	September 2002p ($ '000)	September 2001r ($ '000)	Change (%)	January - September 2002p ($ '000)	January - September 2001r ($ '000)	Change (%)
Full Service Restaurants	39,927	42,062	-5.1	367,356	383,655	-4.2
Limited Service Restaurants	25,432	22,617	12.4	227,492	229,248	-0.8
Caterers	11,543	6,784	70.2	90,364	59,454	52.0
Taverns	2,150	2,936	-26.8	16,743	20,897	-19.9
Total	79,051	74,398	6.3	701,954	693,255	1.3

MINERAL PRODUCTION

	Units of Measure	August 2002	August 2001	Change (%)	January - August 2002	January - August 2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan							
Crude Oil	' 000 m3	2,073	2,126	-2.5	16,141	16,326	-1.1
Natural Gas	' 000, 000 m3	687	691	-0.5	5,517	5,459	1.1

		September 2002p	September 2001	Change (%)	January - September 2002p	January - September 2001	Change (%)
Salt	' 000 Tonnes	82	57	45.1	587	513	14.5
Sodium Sulphate	' 000 Tonnes	19	14	38.1	145	119	21.6
Potash K2O	' 000 Tonnes	792	715	10.6	6,286	6,019	4.4
Other*	' 000,000 Kgs	818	853	-4.1	8,525	8,638	-1.3

* Includes Potassium Sulphate, Ammonium Sulphate, Bentonite, Coal and Uranium
Gold and Base metal will be included quarterly

TOTAL SALES OF SELECTED PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

	October 2002	October 2001	Change (%)	January - October 2002	January - October 2001	Change (%)
	Cubic Metres			Cubic Metres		
Saskatchewan						
Propane & propane mixes	6,342	5,751	10.3	49,859	49,496	0.7
Butane & butane mixes	7,506	5,959	26.0	69,597	64,214	8.4
Aviation gasoline	241	233	3.4	6,602	5,595	18.0
Motor gasoline	144,623	136,205	6.2	1,416,635	1,400,148	1.2
Premium	3,393	2,580	31.5	37,211	32,254	15.4
Mid grade	585	685	-14.6	7,051	7,801	-9.6
Regular no-lead	140,645	132,940	5.8	1,372,767	1,360,093	0.9
Aviation turbo fuel	5,697	5,653	0.8	58,216	61,577	-5.5
Kerosene stove oil	544	891	-38.9	9,430	7,498	25.8
Diesel fuel	148,014	117,276	26.2	1,237,715	1,191,833	3.8
Light fuel	1,555	1,388	12.0	9,172	11,371	-19.3
Heavy fuel	11,530	10,867	6.1	117,105	64,938	80.3
Asphalt	16,172	20,077	-19.5	117,890	122,063	-3.4
Lube oils & grease	4,371	4,681	-6.6	50,363	48,731	3.3
Total net sales, all products	356,574	313,577	13.7	3,191,658	3,044,964	4.8

ELECTRIC ENERGY STATISTICS

	3rd Quarter 2001	3rd Quarter 2000	Change (%)	January - September 2001	January - September 2000	Change (%)
Saskatchewan	GWh			GWh		
Supply						
Production	4,329	4,245	2.0	12,845	12,984	-1.1
Inter-regional transfers	116	172	-32.7	938	708	32.6
Total Supply	4,445	4,418	0.6	13,783	13,692	0.7
Disposition						
Manufacturing	882	825	6.9	2,654	2,504	6.0
Mining	910	820	11.1	2,955	2,762	7.0
Pipelines	315	299	5.4	1,022	944	8.3
Public Administration	85	91	-6.2	247	267	-7.5
Commercial/Institutional	923	908	1.6	2,685	2,872	-6.5
Residential	610	604	0.9	2,055	1,994	3.1
Agriculture	348	326	6.7	1,022	976	4.8
Producer Consumption	372	545	-31.8	1,143	1,373	-16.7
Total Disposition	4,445	4,418	0.6	13,783	13,692	0.7

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
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	All-items	Food	Shelter	Household Operations & Furnishings	Clothing & Footwear	Trans-portation	Health & Personal Care	Recreation Education & Reading	Tobacco & Alcohol
Saskatchewan									
September, 2001	122.1	115.5	129.0	111.6	111.1	134.8	112.2	124.7	113.3
October	121.2	115.4	129.4	111.5	111.4	130.2	112.5	124.2	113.0
November	120.4	116.3	127.5	111.0	110.2	127.9	112.6	123.6	114.5
December	120.3	118.3	127.4	112.2	107.8	125.8	112.3	123.2	114.8
January, 2002	120.9	119.4	128.7	112.5	106.9	126.8	111.6	123.7	115.2
February	120.8	118.5	128.7	112.6	108.1	125.9	112.8	124.3	115.1
March	121.8	117.8	128.8	113.2	111.1	129.0	112.0	125.3	118.2
April	123.5	118.1	129.4	112.8	110.9	132.6	112.7	125.3	137.4
May	123.7	118.8	129.6	112.4	110.4	132.3	113.0	126.6	138.8
June	123.9	118.6	129.6	112.8	107.3	132.7	113.0	127.6	142.7
July	124.2	118.6	129.5	112.9	108.2	133.3	112.8	127.8	145.5
August	124.4	117.9	129.9	112.7	108.9	134.5	113.4	127.9	145.8
September	125.0	117.7	130.2	112.9	112.4	134.7	113.1	129.5	145.9
October	125.1	117.7	130.8	112.9	113.0	134.6	113.2	128.8	146.7
% change October, 2002 over September, 2002	0.1	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.5	-0.1	0.1	-0.5	0.5
% change October, 2002 over October, 2001	3.2	2.0	1.1	1.3	1.4	3.4	0.6	3.7	29.8
Canada									
September, 2001	117.4	116.9	113.4	113.2	107.9	133.0	114.2	126.0	106.5
October	116.8	116.8	113.6	113.0	107.2	130.3	115.0	124.5	106.8
November	115.8	117.3	112.0	112.7	105.2	126.9	114.7	123.2	111.7
December	115.9	118.6	112.6	113.0	103.7	126.0	114.5	122.9	111.9
January, 2002	116.2	120.0	112.7	112.9	102.3	126.9	114.3	122.3	112.2
February	116.9	120.6	113.1	113.1	105.4	127.5	114.8	124.1	112.9
March	117.7	120.4	113.1	113.7	107.1	130.5	114.5	124.9	114.1
April	118.4	120.9	112.8	113.9	106.6	133.8	115.3	124.7	116.8
May	118.6	120.4	113.1	113.8	104.6	134.1	115.7	126.8	118.8
June	119.0	120.9	113.1	114.0	104.2	134.0	115.9	127.2	124.1
July	119.6	120.9	113.2	114.2	105.0	135.4	115.4	128.4	129.5
August	120.1	120.2	114.2	114.3	105.0	137.0	115.6	128.5	129.8
September	120.1	119.2	114.6	113.8	107.3	136.8	115.7	128.7	129.9
October	120.5	118.5	115.8	113.9	107.1	137.9	116.2	127.7	131.2
% change October, 2002 over September, 2002	0.3	-0.6	1.0	0.1	-0.2	0.8	0.4	-0.8	1.0
% change October, 2002 over October, 2001	3.2	1.5	1.9	0.8	-0.1	5.8	1.0	2.6	22.8
Regina									
September, 2002	125.9		133.1						
October	125.9		133.4						
% change October, 2002 over September, 2002	0.0		0.2						
% change October, 2002 over October, 2001	3.0		0.8						
Saskatoon									
September, 2002	124.4		126.2						
October	124.4		126.7						
% change October, 2002 over September, 2002	0.0		0.4						
% change October, 2002 over October, 2001	3.2		1.2						

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-	nil or zero
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